The CERRO GORDO COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION is a place of connection, where generosity and community action meet to create powerful impacts improving the quality of life for all. We connect people to the causes they care about, enrich communities through grantmaking, and believe in the power of partnerships.

**2023 GRANT RECIPIENT ORGANIZATIONS**

- Caring Pregnancy Center
- Cerro Gordo County - Auditor
- City of Clear Lake
- City of Mason City
- City of Swaledale
- Clear Lake Public Library Foundation
- Mason City Senior Activity Center
- North Iowa Children’s Museum
- One Vision
- Rockwell Community Fire Service
- Rockwell-Swaledale Emergency Medical Team
- Ventura Firefighters Association
- VFW Post 733 San Juan-Marne
- West Fork Community School District

The list of projects funded for the last two years can be found at cerrogordoccf.org/grants.

**COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP**

Our Local Impact Committee

- Molly Anderegg
- Nick Andersen
- Lori Brandt
- Tim Coffey
- John Drury, chair

- Bridgette Exman
- Julie Ahnholz Kaduce
- Dennis Lee
- Alan Steckman
- Margo Underwood

You inspire us to do more for our communities and our shared values unite us in our work. Together, we are here for good.

**OUR MISSION**

To inspire people and connect resources to enrich our communities.

Grant totals are comprised of grants from all charitable funds of the Community Foundation.

The Cerro Gordo County Community Foundation is an affiliate of the Community Foundation of Northeast Iowa. CFNEIA is Confirmed in Compliance with National Standards for U.S. Community Foundations.
TOGETHER, WE ARE HERE FOR GOOD

We are inspired by the generosity and commitment of people and organizations who love their community. It is our honor to work with all our partners in creating communities where all people have the opportunity to thrive. We are built to be here for good for our communities. It is only because of people like you that we can do more for the people and communities we serve.

1. ESTABLISH A FUND
We’ll work with you to match your giving and passions, and create a giving plan that meets your charitable and financial goals. There are many fund options, including establishing a named donor advised fund that allows you to support the causes you love during your lifetime.

2. GIVE TO A FUND
Gifts of any size can be made to funds already established with the Community Foundation. Your generosity can support the grantmaking of your local foundation through a gift to their impact fund or find one of our hundreds of funds supporting nonprofits in our region.

3. LEAVE A LEGACY
Your generosity can go on forever when you establish a planned gift. We work with you and your advisor to find giving solutions that leave a legacy and meet your family’s financial goals.

Go to cerrogordoccf.org to learn more about how you can make an impact on your community.

FUNDS OF THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

43 North Iowa Endowment Fund
Association for the Preservation of Clear Lake (APCL) Endowment Fund
Association for the Preservation of Clear Lake (APCL) Quasi-Endowment Fund
Blake and Nancy Barnes Family Quasi Endowment Fund
Burt and Kathryn Bottjen Family Fund
Central Gardens of North Iowa Endowment Fund
Central Gardens of North Iowa Quasi-Endowment Fund
Cerro Gordo County Community Impact Fund
Cerro Gordo County Endowment Fund
Cerro Gordo County Expendable Fund
Charles and Donna Walker Family Endowment Fund
Clear Lake Arts Center Endowment Fund
Clear Lake Fireworks Endowment Fund
Clear Lake/Ventura Area Community Impact Fund
David H. and Jamey G. Moore Family Fund
Dougherty Family Charitable Endowment Fund
Frank and Ann Weiner Family Endowment Fund - Cerro Gordo County
Gordon William Bruchner Scholarship Fund
Habitat for Humanity North Central Iowa Endowment Fund
Jim W. and Ann Kuhlman Family Endowment Fund
Marty and Carol Ramaekers Family Fund
Nancy Whaley Memorial Scholarship Fund
Nicklos and Leandra Andersen Family Fund
Rand and Angela Determan Family Fund
Rockwell Community Fire Service Association Endowment Fund
Rockwell Swaledale EMT Endowment Fund
S.T.P.A.T.S. Endowment Fund Established by the Dougherty Family
St. Mary’s Catholic Church - Greene Endowment Fund Established by the Dougherty Family
The Children's Theatre Foundation Fund
Thomas E. and Janice A. Nelson Charitable Fund
Thomas E. and Janice A. Nelson Scholarship Fund
Tula Zanios Fund
Wright on the Park Endowment Fund
Wright on the Park Quasi-Endowment Fund

Go to cerrogordoccf.org to make a gift to a fund or learn more about starting your own fund.